

Please substitute the following claims for any of their previous versions:

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29. A soffit adaptable for a shelter having a roof overhang and a wall structure, with the soffit adaptable for extending between the wall structure and the roof overhang, comprising, in combination: an I-joist, with the I-joist having an elongate web with a pair of opposing elongate edges and a pair of flanges on each of the elongate edges, with one of the flanges adaptable for being engaged to the wall structure of the shelter and adaptable for traveling along at least a portion of a perimeter of the wall structure, and with the other flange adaptable for being engaged to a portion of the roof overhang and following said travel of the flange adaptable for being engaged to the wall structure, wherein the roof overhang comprises fascia and wherein one of the flanges is fixed to the fascia.

30. The soffit of claim 29 wherein the elongate web is fixed at generally a right angle to the wall structure.

31. The soffit of claim 29 wherein the I-joist is formed of an organic matter.

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35. The soffit of claim 29 wherein the roof overhang comprises a plurality of rafters, with one of the flanges of the I-joist being fixed to the rafters and traveling between the rafters.

36. The soffit of claim 35 wherein the rafters comprise I-beams adaptable for extending from the wall structure to an apex of the shelter.

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38. A soffit adaptable for a shelter having a roof overhang and a wall structure, with the soffit adaptable for extending between the wall structure and the roof overhang, comprising, in combination: an I-joist, with the I-joist having an elongate web with a pair of opposing elongate edges and a pair of flanges on each of the elongate edges, with one of the flanges adaptable for being engaged to the wall structure of the shelter and adaptable for traveling along at least a portion of a perimeter of the wall structure, and with the other flange adaptable for being engaged to a portion of the roof overhang and following said travel of the flange adaptable for being

engaged to the wall structure, wherein a portion of the flange engaged to the wall structure is cut away whereby the shelter may be ventilated through the soffit.

39. The soffit of claim 29 wherein a portion of the web is cut away whereby the shelter may be ventilated through the soffit.

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40. A soffit adaptable for a shelter having a roof overhang and a wall structure, with the soffit adaptable for extending between the wall structure and the roof overhang, comprising, in combination: an I-joist, with the I-joist having an elongate web with a pair of opposing elongate edges and a pair of flanges on each of the elongate edges, with one of the flanges adaptable for being engaged to the wall structure of the shelter and adaptable for traveling along at least a portion of a perimeter of the wall structure, and with the other flange adaptable for being engaged to a portion of the roof overhang and following said travel of the flange adaptable for being engaged to the wall structure, wherein each of the flange and the web include a through portion formed therein whereby the shelter may be ventilated through the soffit.

41. A roof overhang arrangement for a shelter comprising in combination:

- a) a wall structure;
- b) a plurality of rafters engaging the wall structure, with each of the rafters having a tail end;
- c) fascia engaging at least some of the tail ends of the rafters and extending between at least some of the rafters; and
- d) a soffit I-beam engaged to and between the wall structure and the tail ends of at least some of the rafters, with the I-beam comprising an elongate web fixed in and between a pair of flanges, with one of the flanges engaging the wall structure and traveling along at least a portion of a perimeter of such wall structure, and with the other of the flanges engaging the tail ends of at least some of the rafters and following said travel of the flange engaged to the wall structure, with the fascia further being engaged to the flange which is engaged to at least some of the tail ends of the rafters.

42. The roof overhang arrangement of claim 41 wherein the web of the I-beam is disposed at generally a right angle relative to the wall structure of the shelter.

43. The roof overhang arrangement of claim 41 wherein each of the rafters comprises an I-beam extending from the wall structure to an apex of the shelter.

44. A roof overhang arrangement for a shelter comprising in combination:

- a) a wall structure;
- b) a rafter engaging the wall structure and having a tail end;
- c) fascia engaging the tail end of the rafter; and
- d) a soffit I-beam engaged to and between the wall structure and the tail end of the rafter,

with the I-beam comprising an elongate web fixed in and between a pair of flanges, with one of the flanges engaging the wall structure and traveling along at least a perimeter of the wall structure, and with the other of the flanges engaging the tail end of the rafter and following [such] said travel of the flange engaged to the wall structure, with the fascia further being engaged to the flange which is engaged to the tail end of the rafter, with the elongate web disposed at generally a right angle to the wall structure, and with the soffit I-beam having a through opening formed therein whereby the shelter may be ventilated through the soffit.

45. The roof overhang arrangement of claim 44 wherein the rafter comprises an I-beam extending from the wall structure to an apex of the shelter.